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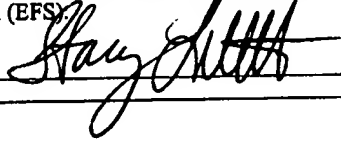
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Mark G. Fleischhacker
Serial No. : 09/770,342
Filing Date : January 26, 2001
For : Non-Metallic Guidewire
Confirmation No. : 6291
Group Unit : 3736
Examiner : Foreman, Jonathan M.
Customer No. : 56080

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.10

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

SUMMARY OF THE 02/21/2007 INTERVIEW

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed March 29, 2007 setting a three-month period for response.

It is also to supplement the present file history with additional comments relating to the Examiner's Interview Summary, mailed March 8, 2007, reflecting the in-person interview between the undersigned and Mr. William Whealon on February 21, 2007 (hereafter "the Interview").

The Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2. The Amendments to the Claims are made without prejudice to Applicant's right to further prosecute claims of similar scope.

Remarks begin on page 4.

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